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In re Application of:

Docket No.: 01702.401500

GUSTAV GAUDERNACK, ET AL.

Int'l Appln. No.: PCT/NO99/00143

U.S. Appln No.: 09/674,973

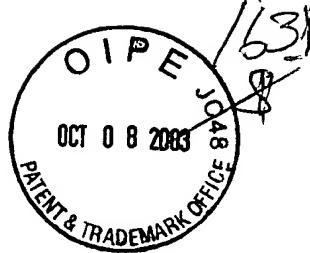
Examiner: M. Borin

Nat'l Entry Date: November 8, 2000

Group Art Unit: 1631

For: PEPTIDES

Date: October 8, 2003



**Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment**  
THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

Additional fee is required.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	91	MINUS	100	0	x \$18	\$ 0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	4	MINUS	3	1	x \$86	\$ 86.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$140/\$280						--
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						\$ 86.00

Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.

A check in the amount of \$ 86.00 is enclosed.

Charge \$\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

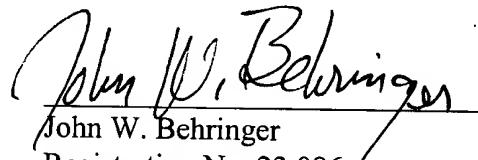
Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 CFR 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_ to cover a \_\_\_\_ month extension is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should be directed to the address listed below.

Respectfully submitted,



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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 8, 2003 (Paper No. 17), the Examiner is requested to amend the above-identified application as follows: